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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): K. KODAMA et al

Serial No. : 09/448,055

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For : METHOD OF CONSTRUCTING

A DATABASE FOR MANAGING MANUFACTURING ENGINEERING INFORMATION, RECORDING MEDIUM RECORDING PROGRAM

THEREOF, AND SYSTEM

THEREFOR

Art Unit : 3627

Examiner : S. McAllister

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE-EXAMINING GROUP 3627

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

This is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed November 29, 2002, the term for response to which expires on February 28, 2003.

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please substitute amended claims 4 and 6 as follows:

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